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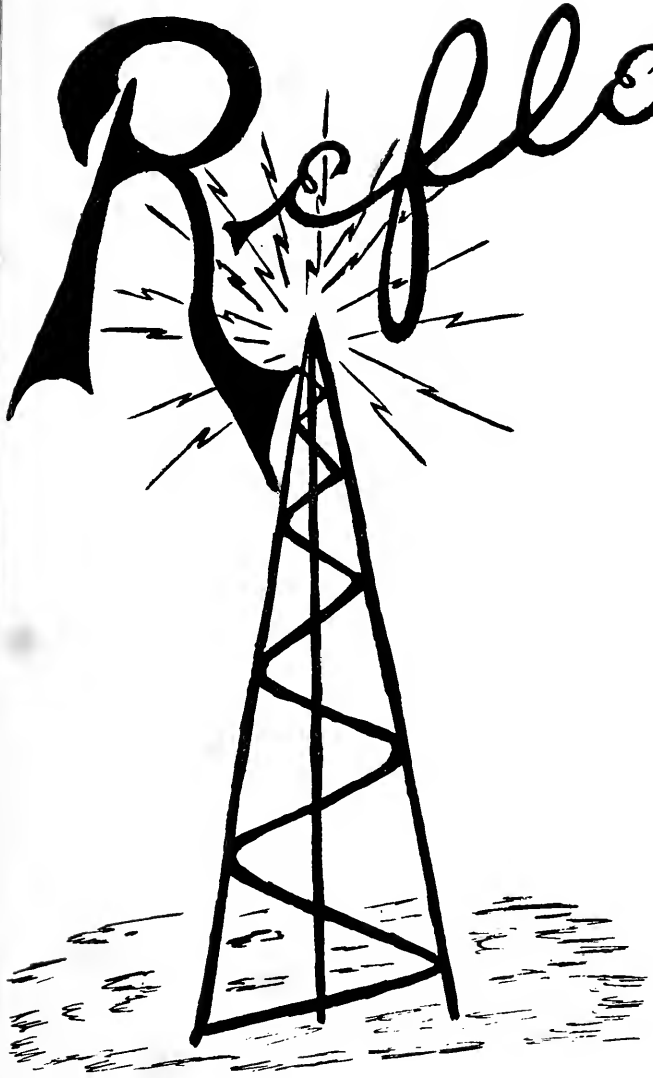

LANCASTER CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

EDITOR . . . . . Carolyn Henry
BUSINESS MGR. . . . . Lloyd Stern
SPONSORS . . . Mrs. Troyer, Mrs. Gaiser, Mrs. McKeefer, Mr. Hedges

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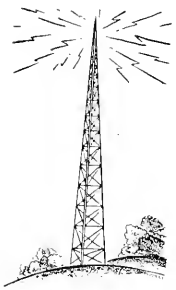

Lancaster Central High School was built near the center of the township in 1922. Mr. A. E. Hunt was trustee at that time. Many good times were shared together by the students.

As the years rolled along, the population of the township increased quite rapidly. It became necessary to add an addition to our building. This was constructed by the Works Progress Administration and completed in 1941. Mr. Milo Lesh was our trustee then. Since there was more room, Murray and Craigville schools were abandoned, and the students were sent to L. H. S. A new gymnasium was the outstanding feature of the new addition.

We the senior class of 1948 are very proud to graduate from such a fine school as Lancaster High School.

Stars of the Evening

STUDIO A

The Directors

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STUDIO B

We The People

STUDIO C

Sports Review

STUDIO D

Club Matinee

LeRoy Hedges

Helen Troyer

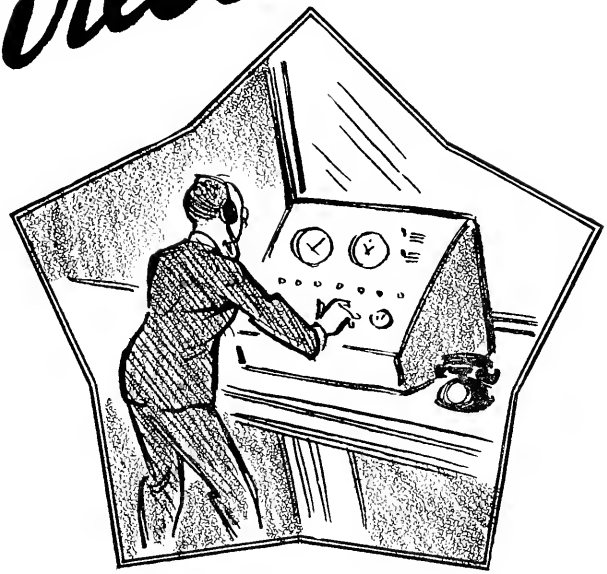
Margaret Johnson

We, the senior class of 1948, wish to dedicate the 1948 Reflector to our high school sponsors Miss Margaret Johnson, Mrs. Helen Troyer, and Mr. LeRoy Hedges.

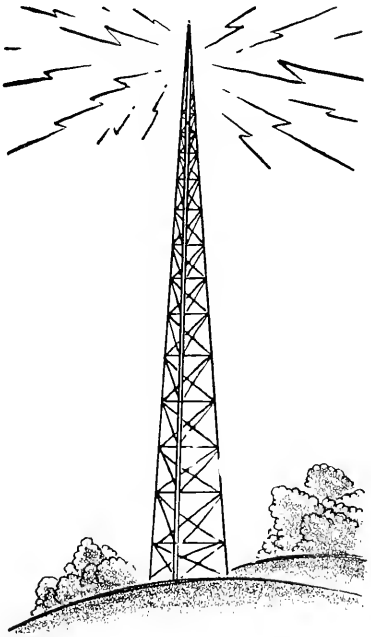
Miss Johnson was very helpful in getting us adjusted to high school life during our freshman year. We not only appreciate her assistance in our freshman year but also her initiative in starting such a splendid lunch program and keeping it functioning during the war years.

Mrs. Troyer and Mr. Hedges shared our joys and sorrows during our junior and senior years. Their patience and helpful guidance during our busiest years will always be remembered.

Directors



We, the students of LHS are very happy to have such a fine faculty. They are very cooperative with each individual student.



WAYNE LEE

OUR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. Wayne Lee started his duties as County Superintendent in 1941. He is now serving his second term.

He graduated from Marion College, and Indiana University, with a B. S. and M. S. Degree. Before taking duties as superintendent he taught at Liberty, Chester, and Jackson schools.

OUR PRINCIPAL

Charles H. Johnson has been our principal for four and one-half years. He started his duties in 1943.

Mr. Johnson did under-graduate work at Hanover College; graduate work at Cincinnati University; special work at Indiana University, Central Normal, and Butler University.

CHARLES H. JOHNSON

HOMER SOUDER

OUR TRUSTEE

Mr. Homer Souder was elected our trustee in November, 1946. He took office in January, 1947. Previous to his election, he was a Lancaster school bus driver, having driven for twenty years. Mr. Souder is a farmer in Lancaster Township.

HELEN TROYER
A. B., Franklin College
Purdue University
English

LEROY HEDGES
Ball State
Mathematics

DOROTHY SHADY
B. S., Ball State
Physical Education

ESTHER McKEEFER
Graduate work at Ball State
A. B., Earlham
English, Latin, Biology

JOHN MUGG
B. S., Purdue University
Agriculture, Science

WILLIAM BRYAN
A. B., Manchester
Wittenburg
Extension at Indiana University
Extension at Ball State
History, Physical Education

ROSE ELLEN LYNCH ROLFE
B. S. Ball State
Home Economics, History

AUDREY BEERBOWER GAISER
B. S., Ball State
Commercial

DOROTHA D. SELLERS
B. S. Ball State
Music and Art

F. L. BLOUGH
B. M. Tri-State
Wooster College
Chicago Conservatory
Band Leader

DWIGHT SHADY
Ball State
Sixth Grade

ALMA BENNETT
Ball State
Butler University
Fifth Grade

RUTH FRENCH
Butler University
Extension work at Ball State
Fourth Grade

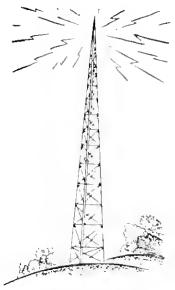
NAOMI YAGER
Indiana University
Extension work at Ball State
Third Grade

BETTY MEYER
B. S. Manchester College
Ohio Wesleyan University
Indiana University
Second Grade

LENORA BYRD
University of Illinois
Northwestern University
Extension at Chicago University, DeKalb Teachers College, Ball State
First Grade

We, The People

We are very proud of the fine school spirit that is maintained by our students. Most of the students cooperate with their fellow class mates and teachers to make our school the best possible.



Our Senior Officers

Standing:

VIRGINIA CLARK
Vice-President

DICK HARRIS
President

Seated:

LILLIAN FIECHTER
Secretary

PRISCILLA TARR
Treasurer

CLASS HISTORY

Way back in the fall of '44, 28 freshmen entered the Lancaster Central assembly to begin four of the happiest years of their lives. They were: Lauretta Anderson, Evelyn Aschliman, Dale Bowman, Wanda Byerly, Janis Ann Bynum, Virginia Clark, Robert Duncan, William Duncan, Betty Faus, Justine Fiechter, Lillian Fiechter, Ralph Fiechter, Lucille Gerber, Hannah Habegger, Richard Harris, Carolyn Henry, Walter Hartman, Emmett Hohensee, Colleen Huss, Berniece Moser, Ruth Ann Randall, William Roberts, James Shelton, Robert Snyder, Arthur Lloyd Stern, Jr., Bonnie Trullender, Joan Wiehke and Lucille Zimmerman. During the freshman year, we had two new students to enroll. They were Bonnie Lobsiger and Velma Harris. There were two students who left us: William Roberts and James Shelton.

Class officers for our freshman year were: President, Lauretta Anderson; Vice-president, Lucille Gerber; Secretary-Treasurer, Walter Hartman. A party was enjoyed each semester. Our class sponsor was Miss Johnson.

At the beginning of the sophomore year we had 26 members. Those who failed to return were: Evelyn Aschliman, Emmett Hohensee, and Velma Harris. We had one new student added, Dan Tucker. The officers were as follows: President, Wanda Byerly; Vice-president, Janis Bynum; Secretary-Treasurer, Carolyn Henry; Student Council, Lloyd Stern. Our class sponsor was Mrs. Troyer. Our class enjoyed two parties this year. The first semester we had a hayride after which we went to Stern's for games and refreshments. The last semester we sponsored an "all school" skating party.

At the beginning of our junior year w ehad a total of 22. Those who failed to return were: Justine Fiechter, Hannah Habegger, Bonnie Lobsiger and Robert Snyder. We had one addition made during the year. Priscilla Tarr entered for the last semester. Class officers were: President, Ruth Ann Randall; Vice-President, Dick Harris; Secretary, Lillian Fiechter; Treasurer, Wanda Byerly; Student Council, Lloyd Stern. We enjoyed one party, our magazine party, which was held at Carolyn Henry's. Our class sponsors were Mrs. Troyer and Mr. Hedges.

At the beginning of the senior year we had only 21 members. Those who dropped out were Dan Tucker and William Duncan. Walter Hartman left at Christmas time. We took on one member later in the year, Barbara Bright, which made a total of 22. Class officers for this year were: President, Dick Harris; Vice-president, Virginia Clark; Treasurer, Priscilla Tarr; Secretary, Lillian Fiechter; Student Council, Lloyd Stern. We had no class parties this year. Our class sponsors were Mrs. Troyer and Mr. Hedges.

LAURETTA ANDERSON

President 1; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Class Play 3; Echo Staff 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; District Chorus 3, 4; Volley Ball 4; Mixed Chorus 3.

DALE BOWMAN

Class Play 3, 4; 4-H Club 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4.

BARBARA BRIGHT

Nappanee 1, 2; Syracuse, 3; Class Play 4; Annual Staff 4; Echo Staff 4.

WANDA BYERLY

President 2; Treasurer 3; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Class Play 3, 4; Echo Staff 1, 2, 3, 4, Editor (half year) 4-H Club 1; Pres. 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council, V. Pres. 1; County Music Festival 2; Volley Ball 4; State Essay Contest 4.

JANIS ANN BYNUM

Vice-President 2; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Class Play 3, 4; Twirler 3; Echo Staff, 2, 4 Annual Staff 4; 4-H Club 1, V. Pres 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; District Chorus 3; County Music Festival 2; Volley Ball 4.

VIRGINIA CLARK

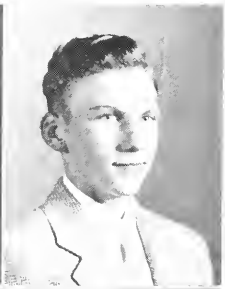
Operetta 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 4; State Algebra Contest 1; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Echo Staff 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4;; Mixed Chorus 3; Vice-President 4 Class Play 4; Minstrel 4 District Chorus 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

ROBERT DUNCAN

Boy's Chorus 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Operetta 3; Student Council 4; County Music Festival 3; District Chorus 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Hi-Y 4.

BETTY FAUS

Operetta 3 Glee Club 1, 3; Echo Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Volley Ball 4; Spelling Contest 2.

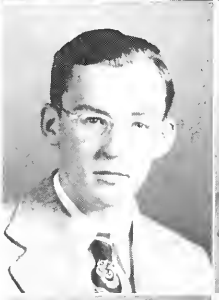


LILLIAN FIECHTER
Glee Club 1, 3; Operetta 3; Secretary 3, 4; Echo Staff 4; Annual Staff 4.

RALPH FIECHTER
Hi-Y.

LUCILLE GERBER
Vice President 1; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Echo Staff 2, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; District Chorus 3, 4; County Music Festival 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Yell Leader 2; Volley Ball 4; Mixed Chorus 3.

RICHARD HARRIS
President 4; Vice President 3; Student Council 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Chorus 3, 4; Operetta 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Class Play 3, 4; Echo Staff 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Music Festival 3, 4; District Chorus 3 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Yell Leader 4; Hi-Y Pres. 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Scholarship Contest 4.



WALTER HARTMAN
Echo Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Chorus (Pianist) 1, 2, 3, 4;Operetta 2, 3 (Pianist); County Music Festival 2, 3 (Pianist); Minstrel 4 (Pianist); Sec. & Treasurer 1.

CAROLYN HENRY
Sec. & Treasurer 2; Operetta 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 4; Class Play 4; Echo Staff 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff, Editor; Girl's 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, Pres. 4; Boy's 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3, Sec. & Treas. 4; District Chorus 3, 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 4; Mixed Chorus 3.

COLLEEN HUSS
Operetta 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Echo Staff 1, 2, 3, 4, Editor (half year); Class Play 3, 4; Yell Leader 3; Minstrel 4; District Chorus 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3.

BERNIECE MOSER
Glee Club 1, 3 Operetta 3; Echo Staff 4; Annual Staff 4.

RUTH ANN RANDALL

President 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3; Operetta 2, 3, 4; County Music Festival 2; Echo Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Minstrel 4; Student Council 3; Volley Ball 4.

LLOYD STERN

Student Council Pres. 2, 3, 4 Echo Staff ,1 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Class Play 3. 4; State Algebra Contest 1; Hi-Y Sec. 4; Track 2, 3; Scholarship Contest 4.

PRISCILLA TARR

Poling 1; Pennville 2; Treasurer 4; Echo Staff 4; Operetta 3; Class Play 3; Annual Staff, Ass't Editor 4.

BONNIE TRULLENDER

Operetta 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Echo Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Class Play 3, 4; Mixed Chorus 3; District Chorus 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel 4.

JOAN WIEBKE

Operetta 2, 3, 4; Volley Ball 4; County Music Festival 2, 3, 4; Echo Staff ,2 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Mixed Chorus 3; Class Play 3, 4; Minstrel 4; District Chorus 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 4.

LUCILLE ZIMMERMAN

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Operetta 2, 3; Echo Staff 4.

IT ISN'T THE GALE, BUT THE SET OF THE SAIL THAT DETERMINES THE WAY WE G)

As we travel our way from day to day
As we journey o'er roads high and low
It isn't the gale, but the set of the sail
That will determine the way we go.

May we be willing to lend a helping hand
To those who need it most,
May we never slide with the twist of the tide
But ever stand firm at our post.

May we ever be ready to keep our course steady
And meet all oppression with a smile
May we always be true in the course we pursue
And never be said to beguile.

May we ever abide, with our motto as our guide
As we meet with triumph or woe
It isn't the gale, but the set of the sail,
That determines the way we go.

WANDA BYERLY

Class Will

We, the class of '48, being of sound mind have assembled together in commemoration of our dear friend "Miss High School Daze." Upon leaving we wish to make a settlement of all debits, characteristics and certain possessions. This being our last will and testament, we wish to revoke any and all former promises made by any one of our integral parts, members of the class of '48.

ARTICLE I

Section I: We, the Senior Class after due consideration do bequeath to the faculty our kind ways, our surplus sense of humor, our broad mindedness and for good measure the Detention Hall and a few more gray hairs.

Section II: We, the Senior Class do bequeath to the Junior Class our ability of spelling our SENIORS so well, and the privilege of hearing that old familiar phrase "scatter out" in government class.

Section III: We, the Senior Class do bequeath to the Sophomore Class all the surplus money we have over $1,000.

Section IV: We, the Senior Class after serious meditation do bequeath to the Freshman Class, since they are such little students, all our old pencils.

ARTICLE II

Section I: Individual Provisions

I, Lauretta Anderson refuse to bequeath anything to anybody, because I'm going to take it all with me.

I, Dale Bowman do bequeath my number twelve shoes to Joy Stahl and may he grow into them.

I, Barbara Bright do bequeath my last name to anyone who thinks they can make better use of it than I have.

I, Wanda Byerly do bequeath my ability for losing everything to Sarah Jane Nash.

I, Janis Ann Bynum do bequeath to Mr. Johnson my duty of cleaning up the office every Friday.

I, Virginia Clark do bequeath my book "Ten Easy Lessons on Cracking Gum" to my younger half, Anna Louise, although I think she's taken nine already.

I, Robert Duncan do bequeath to Dwight Wolf all the ice cream he can eat in the store.

I, Betty Faus do bequeath my shy ways to Alice Smith.

I, Ralph Fiechter do bequeath my wavy hair to Dale Meyer. (And may he have more of it.)

I, Lillian Fiechter do bequeath my slavery as secretary of the Senior Class to Walter Mankey.

I, Lucille Gerber do bequeath my basketball ability to Betty Jean Vanover.

I, Richard Harris do bequeath my esquire wardrobe to John Meeks.

I, Walter Hartman do bequeath my ability to play a piano so well to Carol Thomas.

I, Carolyn Henry do bequeath my unique ability of getting out of trouble to Willis Prichard.

I, Colleen Huss do bequeath my school books to anyone who thinks they would rather study than marry.

I, Berniece Moser do bequeath my talent for holding a car together going around a curve at 60 per to Dave Paxson.

I, Ruth Ann Randall do bequeath all my arguments for the Democrats to Mr. Bryan. (Vote for Randall for president in '68.)

I, Lloyd Stern do bequeath my basketball ability to Jacob (Squirrel) Cormany.

I, Priscilla Tarr do bequeath to Gerald Gerber the right to be teacher's little helper.

I, Bonnie Trullender do bequeath my red hair and nickname "Flame" to "Red" Walsh.

I, Joan Wiebke do bequeath my "ear piercing scream" and ability to act up in class to Etta Gerber.

I, Lucille Zimmerman do bequeath my unique ability for writing "love letters" to Jean Rix who doesn't do bad herself.

ARTICLE III

We, Dick and Lloyd do bequeath to Dale Meyer and Charles Myers the right to get out of the assembly and some classes at any time, to ----- "print?"

We Carolyn and Janis do bequeath our ability to get into trouble, our unique method of laughing in all classes, and our 2nd period gab session, with Mr. Hedges' permission of course, to Joyce Johnloz and Naomi Yake.

We, Ruth Ann, Wanda, Berniece, Janis, Virginia, Priscilla and Lillian do bequeath our office duties to the Junior boys. (They're down there half the time anyway.)

WITNESSED:

Miss High School Daze

Janis Ann Bynum

Prophecy

We, Lauretta Anderson and Ruth Ann Randall, the only two spirits of the class of '48, do hereby resolve to tell you, the people of 1961, our experiences of haunting our old school pals.

Before we had the misfortune to be killed in an automobile accident I, Lauretta, was the editor of the Craigville Comic Book, a superman specialty. I, Ruth Ann, was engaged in raising Palomino horses, which at that time was very profitable as the fad of horseback riding had returned.

Since we were killed in an auto accident, we feel it our duty to warn you about sharp curves. Although it is loads of fun being able to scare people, and never have to fear on-coming trains, or falling off a twenty story building, it would be nice to sit at a tourney once again with coke being poured down your back, and knees poking you inthe ribs. The people living in this grand old world don't know how thankful they can be for all of this.

Being thankful reminds us of when we were in Florida. The sun was shining brightly, and the weather was fine for swimming, when out of the clear blue sky, rose a terrifying shriek that would even scare a ghost. We hastily went to investigate. Out on the ocean a tiny girl was flouncing up and down, screaming, and crying for help. Being as swift as the wind, we went to investigate. As we drew near, she was gasping for air, and slowly she went down. She looked like an angel, long blond hair with beautiful blue eyes. We pulled her to safety and how thankful she was. Later we learned the girl was Lillian Fiechter, and we were truly glad to help our old classmate. She had done so much for the class of '48. Lillian was on a vacation from working at a bank at Fort Wayne and had come to Florida for a rest.

Last Christmas we went to California, and on Christmas Eve we went to one of the beautiful churches in Los Angeles. As we seated ourselves on the chandelier, the choir slowly marched in carrying lighted candles. After the choir was seated, the preacher, who had been kneeling behind the pulpit, rose. How surprised we were to note that it was a woman. While she was reading the second chapter of Matthew, we recognized her, and we fell right off the chandelier into the laps of two women. The women jumped up and ran right out of the church leaving their coats and purses. We were looking through the purses to find some identification, when we noted the names of Dr. Wanda Byerly, 1784 Palm Drive, Los Angeles, and Janis Ann Bynum, Registered Nurse, 1784 Palm Drive, Los Angeles.

Later we read in the paper that the people of that church believed they had seen one of God's miracles. They were encouraged by their preacher to make ready for the great coming. In case you want to know, the preacher was none other than Carolyn Henry.

As we floated down the street of Los Angeles one day, we noticed a magnificent building called "The Yuteve Fashions". Being as fond of lovely clothes now as we were when alive, we decided to go in. Hearing a familiar giggle, we immediately ascended to the second floor, and to our surprise we saw Joan Wiebke fitting a new creation on her model Bonnie Trullender. We too, had to laugh when we saw the new style. Once again in the year of '61 dresses are back to the knees.

Just as we were about to leave, we were astonished by the dramatic appearance of the most handsome man ever created. We heard Joan exclaim, "Dick." As we listened, we learned he was Dick Harris, who had taken the place of Clark Gable as the screen's greatest lover.

One night the wind was raging, and we were carried far out to sea. Suddenly there appeared to our wondering eyes an airplane signaling in distress. Realizing its danger, we immediately hastened to take a position, one on each wing, and by our divine guidance brought the plane safely back to the San Francisco airport. The pilot got out weary, but happy to touch ground again. He was met by the radio technician, who exclaimed that it was a miracle, that he returned uninjured. Once again we were very glad to see our old classmates. Lloyd Stern, pilot, and Bob Duncan, radio technician, walked into the hanger to receive new orders.

Before leaving San Francisco we visited the docks, where huge ocean liners were getting ready to sail. There was a crowd gathered in front of the ship, Queen Elizabeth. "The Duke of Remington and his bride are sailing on this ship to return to England," said a woman in the crowd. "Here they come," someone shouted. A long sleek, shining car came to a stop directly in front of us. Out stepped the Duke of Remington followed by his blushing bride. What? The bride was Berniece Moser.

One day while looking over the shoulder of an old man, we noticed the headlines which said, ONCE AGAIN WOMAN DARE-DEVIL AND COMPANION WIN. We got so excited we bumped the old man, and he thinking a fly was bothering him struck at us. Wow! Mr. Hedges. Now how did he get in here; he graduated a long time before we did. But it is rather nice knowing what the sponsors are doing. In case you want to know, Mr. Hedges has retired and is living a life of ease. Mrs. Troyer has also retired to a lovely estate in New York and has been devoting her time to raising flowers which are the envy of every flower lover.

After reading the headlines about the women dare-devils, we set out for New York.. We wanted to see the race as best we could, so we just sat on the hood of one of the racers. Little did we realize this one belonged to that woman dare-devil. In she jumped with a bound and went off like a fire cracker. Boy, what a ride! When finally she stopped, and we got our breath, off we went again. What kind of a woman was this behind the wheel?? Just to stop long enough to start again. But soon we knew it wasn't the same person. The first one had been Colleen Huss and the second, Virginia Clark, her assistant. Oh dear, and we had warned them about curves.

Upon leaving the grounds of the race track, we noticed an organ grinder, with a monkey. The monkey looked rather large, but then we all have to make a living. The organ was playing, "Cheer, Cheer for Lancaster High." How strange that seemed. We drew nearer to see this wonder

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Our Junior Officers

Starting at the top and reading from left to right

Dale Meyer, Vice-President
Harry Steffen, Secretary-Treas.
Willis Prichard, President
Luther Gerber, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer
Walter Mankey, Student Council Representative

Reading from top to bottom

Row One: Anna Louise Clark, Rex Pursley, Lucille Reinhard, Betty Heffelfinger, Richard Kruetzman.

Row Two: Don Yager, Geraldine Walsh, Bill Barger, Don Reinhard, Richard Hinshaw.

Row Three: Walter Mankey, Joyce Johnloz, Harold Baumgartner, Sarah Jane Nash, Luther Gerber, Dale Meyer.

Row Four: Dave Paxson, Carol Thomas, Wilma Dippel, Jack Decker, Etta Gerber, Jean Decker, Lester Meyer, Eddie Bryan.

Row Five: Naomi Yake, Delores Kreig, Willis Prichard, Bonnie Huss, Robert Worden, Floyd Runyon, Dwight Wolf, Harry Steffen.

Our Sophomore Officers

Reading left to right

Bob Clark, Secretary and Treasurer
Dick Beeler, Student Council Representative
Victor Gerber, President
Claren Gehring, Vice-President

Reading from top to bottom

Row One: Alice Smith, Claren Gehring, Marilyn Wasson, Victor Gerber, Joy Stahl, Ann Conn.

Row Two: Vernon Crozier, Ivan Pursley, Charles Myers, John Fiechter, Betty Jean Vanover, Jean Rix.

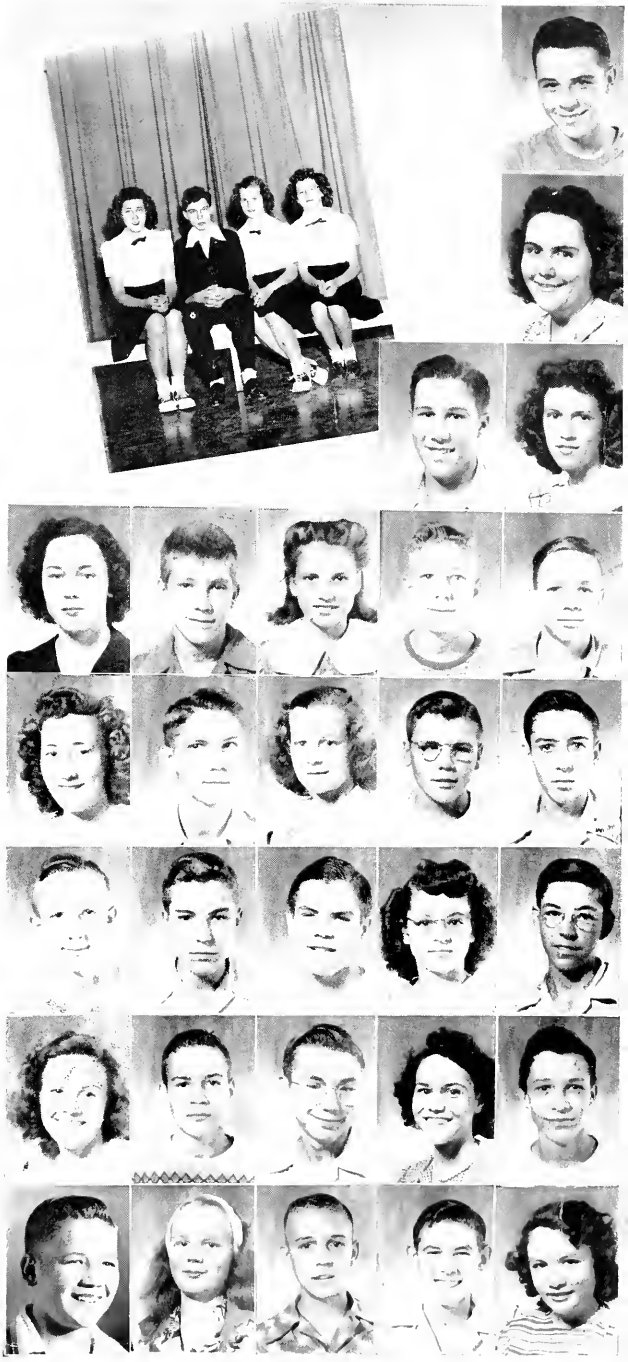
Row Three: Marilyn Gross, Jack Eversole, Bonnie Gibson, Dean McCormick, Jim Troyer, Robert Clark.

Row Four: Arthur Moser, John Osborne, William Kahn, Richard Beeler, Betty Shipley, Janet Faus, Doyle Stern.

Our Freshmen Officers

Reading from left to right

Vivian Runyon, President
Tom Wiebke, Sec.-Treasurer
Carol Barger, Student Council Representative
Arlene Anderson, Vice-President



Reading from top to bottom

Row One: Virginia Stotler, Vivian Runyon, Dean Decker, Marilyn Gerber, Douglas Krauter.

Row Two: John Bright, Richard Shady, Dale Heckley, Richard Elzey, Delores Shallenberger.

Row Three: Marjorie Brown, Carol Barger, John Meeks, Anthony Chrystler, Eddie Zirkle.

Row Four: Richard Gerber, Jack Bowen, Waldo Wolf, Arlene Anderson, Patty Wolf, Leon Byerly.

Row Five: Gerald Gerber, Christine Dubauch, Ellen Fiechter, Larry Shallenberger, Kenneth Hamilton, John Hanni, Tom Wiebke, Carolyn Williams.

Eighth Grade

(Top Picture)

Reading from left to right

Seated: Donald Lydy, Byron Reber, Glen Aschliman, Virgil McIntosh, Betty Reinhard, Barbara Lash, Ruth Faus, Donald Hinshaw, Jacob Cormany, John Pursley.

Standing: Miss Lynch (Sponsor), Barbara Blount, Evelyn Barrick, Jacquelyn Harris, Evelyn Green, Gerald Fiechter, James Potter, James Easley, Jim Duncan, Richard Prichard, Lester Crozier, Tommy Frauhiger, Wayne Yager, Larry Wittwer.

Absent: Virginia Byrd, Phyllis Dishong.

Seventh Grade

(Bottom Picture)

Reading from left to right

Bottom Row: Walter Klefeker, David Gerber, Abelardo Heredia, Rodney Gerber, Warner Hunt, George Blount, Billy Zirkle, Tillman Gerber, Dean Reber, Loretta Reinhard, Billy Shallenberger, Virgil Brown.

Second Row: Mrs. McKeefer (Sponsor), Wendell Meeks, Janet McIntosh, La Reith Hapner, Edith Frye, Lester Mankey, Donovan Wolt, Max Hamilton, Joyce McCune.

Top Row: Don Decker, Bob Troyer, Maurice Shady, Richard Barger, Donna Shipley, Elizabeth Stahl, Harry Brebaugh.

Absent: Gordon Reed.

Sixth Grade

Left to right: Row One: Jerry Bowen, Max Tarr, Lawrence Graham, Ronald Decker, Peggy Frauhiger, Colleen Decker, Lorraine Harris, Larry Baumgartner, Dwight McCune, Robert Manning, Donald Wright.
Row Two: Marilyn Gearhart, David Beeler, Rex Van Zant, Ted Hanni, Larry Gerber, Rose Marie Moser, Bonnie Herrick, Ervin Bradburn, Martha Sue Green.
Row Three: Mr. Shady, Rosemary James, Nancy Bright, Wanetta Crozier, Jeanine Krauter, Deuwayne Strahm, Marlyn Runyon, Betty Meeks, Charles Chrystler, Wayne Meeks, Jerry Elzey.
Absent: Bob Myers, Tommy Kahn, Lucille Reed.

Fifth Grade

Reading from left to right: Bottom row: Dean Faus, Ann Reber, Lloyd Herndon, Marilyn Tarr, Joan Smith, Tommy Moser, Arlene Cormany, Diane Scott.
Second Row: Carolyn Richards, Joe Mann, Donald Jines, Bob Nash, Virginia Macias, Janette Kruetzman, Merlin Barrick, Joyce Manning.
Top Row: Mrs. Bennett, Dixie McIntosh, Keith Zirkle, Jack Kahn, Carolyn Wolf, Betty Jines, Kenneth Steffen, Geraldine Gerber.

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Top Row, Reading from left to right: Mrs. French, Marilyn Wilson, Wayne Fiechter, Jim Eichhorn, Millard Davis, David Johnloz, Melvin Crozier, George Kaufman, Joyce Lockwood.
Second Row: Clyde Lee Shady, John Herrick, Diane Faus, Dixie Elzey, Keith Grove, Ann Lee Hunt, Suzanne Wasson, Danny Jines, Galen Harnish.
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Third Grade

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First Grade

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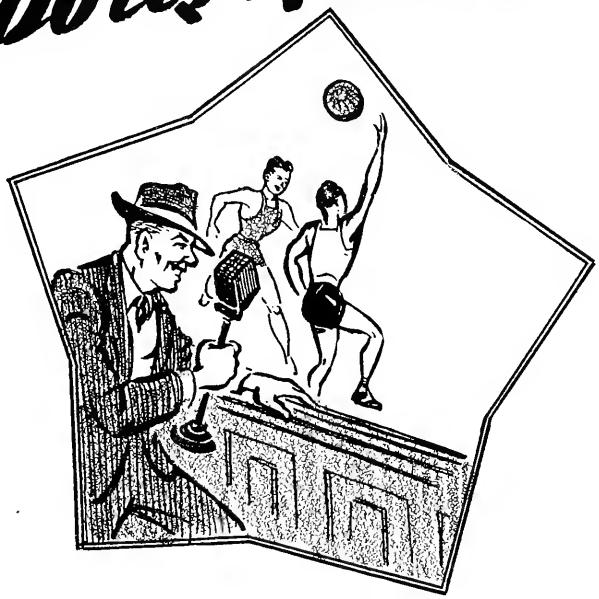
First Row: Adell Shady, Rebecca Niblick, Sally Shady, Claudia Clowser, Marcia Sharp, Joyce Wright, Arlene Frauhiger, Patty Jo Lockwood, Irene Krummen, Sally Kahn, Norma Cormany, Rinda Decker, Bertha Faus, Shirley Decker, June Jines.

Absent: David Young, Gilbert Mechling, Donald Faus.

Sports Review



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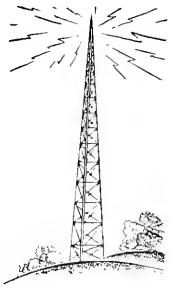


Basketball

The Lancaster Bobcats of '47-48 have written athletic history in the annals of Lancaster High School. Although this little team was often thrown against much larger teams, they came out to win and made a very good impression on the minds of the fans.

The Bobcats used a pressing defense very successfully with a deliberate offense winning 11 games and losing only 4 (at the time the Reflector went to press.) Although the Bobcats suffered many injuries this season they still played very hard, and in the county tourney they were runner-up to Ossian who defeated them in the finals only after an overtime and then only by two points. Lancaster received the Sportsmanship trophy for good conduct and sportsmanship shown throughout the tourney. In their second game after the tourney they defeated the Monmouth Eagles, who were the Adams County Champs, by four points. This is one of the slickest, snappiest little teams Lancaster has had.

Reading from left to right: Front Row: Dale Meyer, Willis Prichard, Dave Paxson, Vernon Crozier. Back Row: Bob Worden, Eddie Bryan, Lloyd Stern, Don Yager.

Bobcat Reserves

Reading from left to right

Standing: Tom Wiebke, Walter Mankey, Luther Gerber, Richard Gerber, Victor Gerber, Dick Beeler, Jack Bowen.

Botton Row: Joy Stahl, Gerald Gerber, Lester Meyer, Arthur Moser, Doyle Stern, Jim Troyer, Jack Decker, Richard Elzey.

Reserves

Our Reserves started off this season with a bang!

They had gone undefeated the entire season last year and at the time the Reflector went to press they had suffered but one defeat so far this season. These boys have really been battling some tough teams, and their record is very good. More power to them so they can have two very successful seasons.

Reading from left to right
Bonnie Huss
Dick Harris
Bonnie Gibson

Our Cheer Leaders

Bonnie Huss and Bonnie Gibson were re-elected for cheer leaders this year. They did a very fine job last year and we think they did even better this year.

Dick Harris was the new cheer leader elected. Dick was new at the art of leading yells but everyone thought he made a splendid yell leader.

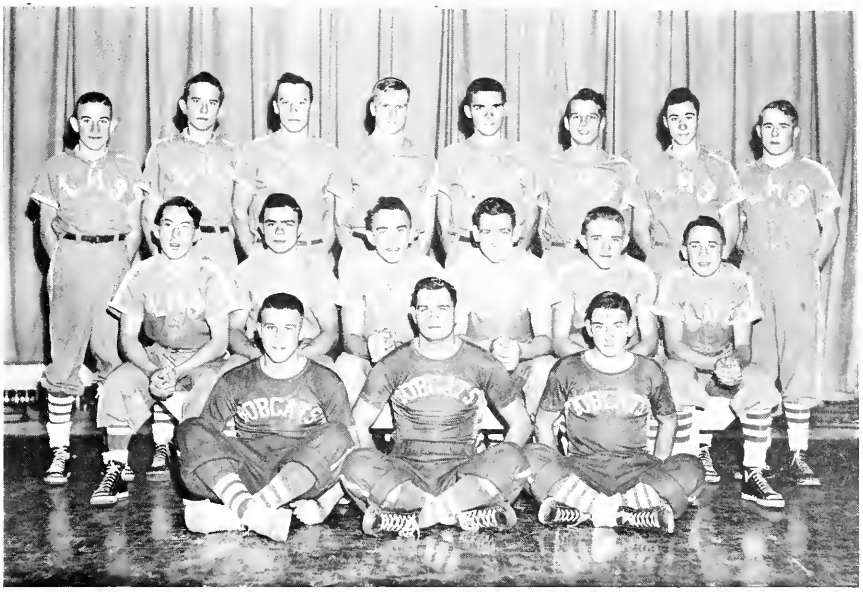
Our cheer leaders were able to keep the fans together on yells, and showed fine sportsmanship as did the team.

Our Student Managers And Coach

We have been talking about the boys of the basketball team, but we have not forgotten three of the boys who did a lot of work and got very little credit for it. The student managers, who were Bob Clark, Leon Byerly, and Floyd Runyon, followed the team faithfully through the year by being at every game and serving the team well. They kept the equipment in shape and order for the boys whenever it was needed.

Mr. Bryan has done an excellent job in coaching our ball team. He has overcome many obstacles such as illness and injuries which our team has certainly had more than its share. Another admirable trait is the ability he has to form a co-operative team instead of an individual team. We had the smallest ball team in the county this year, but through the excellent coaching of Mr. Bryan, we came out on top many times against much larger teams.

Reading from left to right:
Leon Byerly
Robert Clark
Floyd Runyon
Mr. Bryan



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Second Row: Floyd Runyon, Willis Prichard, Don Yager, Doyle Stern, Dale Meyer, Edwin Bryan.
Bottom Row: Richard Gerber, Richard Kruetzman, Walter Mankey.

The Boys' Softball Team

The Bobcats softball team had a successful season this year by winning four games and losing two. They defeated Rockcreek twice by scores of 33 to 3, and they defeated Union twice by scores of 7 and 2. They lost to Ossian twice by scores of 7 and 6.

The boys played some good games but slipped a little in others. They closed the 1947 season with a score of 91 runs to their opponents 24. This record was one of the best in the county.

The Bobcats came out runner up to Ossian, who represented the Northern district in the play off with the victor of the Southern district. This was the fourth time the Bobcats came up second.

Bobcats Win Sportsmanship Trophy

At the Bluffton Gymnasium, before a capacity crowd January 10, the Lancaster Central Bobcats were awarded the Frank Garrett Sportsmanship trophy.

This award is given annually to the team and school that has shown the best sportsmanship during the tourney.

We feel that the Bobcats richly deserve this honor as they not only put up brilliant fights, playing courageous ball during the tourney which took them to the Saturday evening finals, but through all this, possessed their well known sportsmanship.

Sportsmanship and teamwork go hand in hand and the true victor of any game is the one who profits most by the game.

We're proud of you, fellows, for the crowning glory you have brought to Lancaster and hope in future games and in future years you keep this sportsmanship honor.

The Girls' Volley Ball Team

Seated: Lillian Fiechter, Betty Faus, Janis Bynum, Lucille Gerber, Lauretta Anderson, Joan Wiebke
Top Row: Mrs. Shady (Coach), Colleen Huss, Wanda Byerly, Carolyn Henry, Bonnie Trullender, Ruth Ann Randall, Virginia Clark.

Sports Of The Year

The girls of the physical education classes have learned and played many interesting games this year, so now I would like to tell you briefly the highlights of each sport.

At the beginning of school last fall, softball seemed to be the main sport for us. Each class had a team, so at noon hour the girls would have softball games on their own ball diamond. Mrs. Shady, our physical education teacher, usually was the umpire. In class we learned to bat, bunt, throw, and pitch a ball. Other important points were learned in order to play good softball.

Our next sport was soccer. It is a game somewhat like football, but it was not as strenuous. The classes enjoyed this game, since this was the first year they had ever played it.

Volley ball was the main subject, since the weather began to get too bad to play outdoors any longer. The girls were not too much acquainted with the game, so Mrs. Shady started at the beginning and told each class the rules of the game.

After practicing volley ball for several weeks, we had a game with Bluffton on November 18, on the Lancaster floor. The girls who participated in the game were: Lauretta Anderson, Janis Bynum, Virginia Clark, Betty Faus, Colleen Huss, Carolyn Henry, Joan Wiebke, Ruth Ann Randall, Bonnie Trullender, and Lucille Gerber. Three games were played during the evening. The score of the first game was Lancaster 63, Bluffton 22. The score of the second game was Lancaster 21, Bluffton 3, and the last game we also won 87 to 70.

Another game was scheduled for December 9 to be played at Bluffton. Lancaster won all three games that were played. The scores of the games were 21-6; 21-10; 34-28.

We were very proud of these girls, since this was our first time to participate in games outside of our school and to win all six games that were played.

After volley ball was over, basketball was our next sport. Doctor Meade of Bluffton gave each girl in the upper six grades, who wished to play basketball, an opportunity to have a physical examination. The consent of the parents was also necessary in order to have each student participate in the games which were played.

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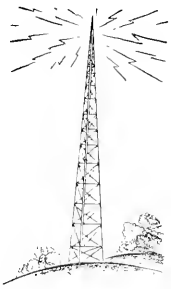
Club Matinee

We not only study at LHS, but we have many extra curricular activities.



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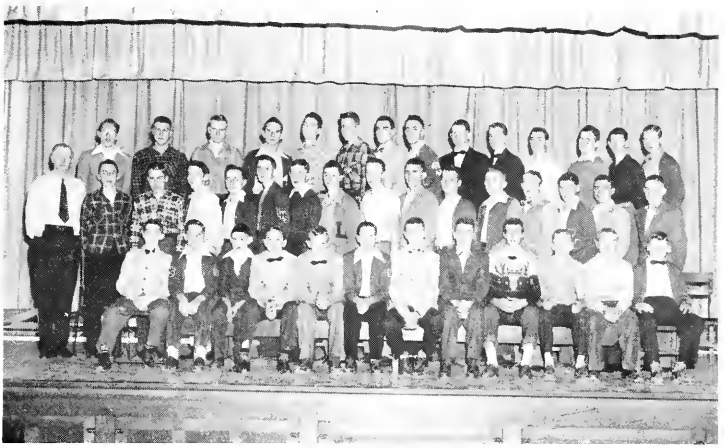
Seated: Lloyd Stern, Bob Worden, Carolyn Henry
First Row: Mr. Hedges, Evelyn Green, Elizabeth Stahl, Carol Barger, Vivian Runyon, Naomi Yake, Janis Ann Bynum, Wayne Yager, Joyce McCune, Mrs. Gaiser
Second Row: Dale Meyer, Willis Prichard, Victor Gerber, Bob Duncan, Dick Harris, Dick Beeler, Walter Mankey

The first student council of Lancaster was organized in 1945 with the assistance of Mr. Johnson and Mr. Hedges. The purpose of the council is to have government by the students. Two of the most outstanding accomplishments this year are the plan for the distribution of tourney tickets, and the assembly programs which they planned.

Officers who headed this year's council were: president, Lloyd Stern; vice-president, Bob Worden; secretary and treasurer, Carolyn Henry. Lloyd has served as president every year since it has been organized.

Members of the council include the president of each class, a representative from each of the upper six grades, representatives from the girls' 4-H club, boys' 4-H club, girls' chorus, boys' chorus, and band. Faculty sponsors are Mrs. Gaiser and Mr. Hedges.



Boys' Hi-Y Organization

Reading from left to right: Top Row: Floyd Runyon, Richard Gerber, Lloyd Stern, Jack Decker, Jim Troyer, Doyle Stern, Richard Harris, Don Yager, Robert Duncan, Harry Steffen, Harold Baumgartner, John Meeks, Victor Gerber, Charles Myers.

Second Row: Mr. Hedges (Leader), Edwin Bryan, Dale Heckley, Kenneth Hamilton, Robert Clark, John Osborne, Dwight Wolf, Vernon Crozier, Robert Worden, Dave Paxson, Bill Barger, Dale Meyer, Lester Meyer, Walter Mankey, Willis Prichard, Luther Gerber.

Third Row: Joy Stahl, Douglas Krauter, Leon Byerly, Eddie Zirkle, Dean Decker, Richard Elzey, John Bright, Gerald Gerber, Richard Beeler, Jack Bowen, Anthony Chryster, Waldo Wolf.

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The new Hi-Y organization was organized on December 8, 1947, with Dick Harris elected as president; Charles Myers, vice-president; Lloyd Stern, secretary; Victor Gerber, treasurer. It is the first Hi-Y organization Lancaster has ever had. It was suggested by our sponsor Mr. Hedges, early in the school year that we organize a Hi-Y. The boys met on various occasions at noons and decided it would be a worthwhile organization.

On Monday, January 19, the Bluffton Hi-Y came to Lancaster to give us our formal initiation. It was a very impressive service, which was held in the gym.

The new organization meets monthly, usually on a Monday night. In future years the Hi-Y is going to start finding ways of making money and doing things for the betterment of the community.

Lancaster High School Band

The band of the Lancaster High School is endeavoring to do many things to improve and better itself for the honor and pride of the school and all who are interested in it.

We are acquiring the ability to read music more fluently, to learn to love better music, to have better teamwork in the entire band, and to gain a better appreciation of what music really is.

The younger members are proving themselves quite worthy of being in the senior band.

The band rehearses two periods every Friday, and we have purchased two new books this year - - Bennett No. 4 and Program Classics No. 2.

We hope to make this band important and something of which we can really be proud. The bandmaster of our band is Mr. F. L. Blough.

Reading from left to right: Standing: Joy Stahl, Byron Reber, Geraldine Walsh (Twirler), Warner Hunt, Richard Prichard, Jack Eversole, Mr. Blough (Instructor), Carol Barger (Twirler), Robert Troyer, Larry Wittwer, Ervin Bradburn, Sarah Jane Nash (Twirler)

Seated: Betty Heffelfinger, Naomi Yake, Jacquelyn Harris, Marilyn Gearhart, Rosemary James, Elizabeth Stahl, Lucille Reinhard, Richard Kruetzman, Richard Harris.

Minstrel Cast

Reading from left to right: Bottom Row: Janis Ann Bynum, Lucille Gerber, Lauretta Anderson, Bonnie Trullender, Joan Wiebke, Colleen Huss.

Second Row: Joyce Johnloz, Wanda Byerly, Sarah Jane Nash, Eddie Zirkle, Gerald Gerber, Lester Meyer, Floyd Runyon, Harry Steffen, Arthur Moser, Luther Gerber, Richard Elzey, Joy Stahl, Leon Byerly.

Third Row: Miss Sellers (Instructor), Carol Barger, Marilyn Wasson, Christine Dubach, Betty Shipley, Arlene Anderson, Marilyn Gerber, Virginia Stotlar, Marjorie Brown, Carolyn Williams, Carolyn Henry, Patricia Wolf, Geraldine Walsh, Ruth Ann Randall, Bonnie Huss, Dave Paxson, Janet Faus, Willis Prichard, Betty Vanover.

Top Row: Marilyn Gross, Vivian Runyon, Virginia Clark, Lucille Reinhard, Anna Louise Clark, Delores Krieg, Ellen Feichter, Delores Shallenberger, Alice Smith, Bonnie Gibson, Jean Rix, Naomi Yake, Dwight Wolf, Dean Decker, Larry Shallenberger, Tom Wiebke, Waldo Wolf, John Bright.

The mixed chorus presented their minstrel, "Dusky Clouds" at the Lancaster Central auditorium on Wednesday night, December 3, 1947. This was the first minstrel that was ever given at Lancaster, and it was a huge success. It drew a very large crowd and was enjoyed by all. There were several special attractions, which added to its success. The endmen did very well speaking their parts. The receipts from the minstrel went to the music department funds for the purchasing of music awards.

Girls' Chorus

Reading from left to right

Top Row: Particia Wolf, Ellen Fiechter, Delores Shallenberger, Vivian Runyon, Joyce Johnloz, Marilyn Gross, Wanda Byerly, Carolyn Henry, Sarah Jane Nash, Naomi Yake, Alice Smith, Jean Rix, Delores Krieg, Anna Louise Clark.

Second Row: Betty Shipley, Colleen Huss, Virginia Clark, Bonnie Trullender, Ruth Ann Randall, Bonnie Huss, Lucille Gerber, Lauretta Anderson, Lucille Reinhard, Janet Faus, Virginia Stotlar, Miss Sellers (Instructor).

Bottom Row: Marjorie Brown, Carolyn Williams, Marilyn Gerber, Arlene Anderson, Geraldine Walsh, Carol Barger, Janis Ann Bynum, Marilyn Wasson, Christine Dubach, Joan Wiebke.

The girls' chorus has rendered many performances at several occasions during the school year. Class was held two times a week. Two of our most outstanding features were a Minstrel, the first ever to be presented at Lancaster, and an evening of music, which was presented at Christmas time, as a farewell to Walter Hartman, who has been our pianist for the last four years.

Again this year, as before, we gave an Operetta entitled "My Spanish Sweetheart" which was well received. We also sang at Teachers Institute in Bluffton on November 15; and Lauretta Anderson, Lucille Gerber, Virginia Clark and Carolyn Henry represented Lancaster singing in the district chorus at the Ft. Wayne Division of the Teachers Association. Another performance which we took part in was the County Music Festival, which is held in Bluffton each year.

Boys' Chorus

We are quite proud of our boys' chorus as they have given many fine performances this past year. In former years we did not have a very large chorus, but under the splendid direction of Miss Sellers it has increased considerably.

The boys' chorus took the major role in the Minstrel which was given December 3, Bob Duncan, Dick Harris, Arthur Moser, and Tom Wiebke represented Lancaster in the District Chorus held at Fort Wayne during Teachers Association. Other performances which the boys took a large part in were the program at Christmas time, held December 19, and the Operetta, presented March 11.

Many of these boys are underclassmen, so we are hoping for a bigger and better boys' chorus.

First Row: Joy Stahl, Leon Byerly, Larry Shallenberger, Eddie Zirkle, Tom Wiebke, Floyd Runyon, John Bright, Lester Meyer, Dean Decker, Richard Elzey.

Second Row: Waldo Wolf, Gerald Gerber, Luther Gerber, Willis Prichard, Dwight Wolf, Harry Steffen, Dave Paxson, Dick Harris, Bob Duncan, Arthur Moser.

Walter Hartman, pianist. Dorotha Sellers, director.

Boys' 4-H Club

The Lancaster Boys' 4-H Club elected Bob Worden, president; Don Yager, vice-president; Eddie Bryan, secretary and treasurer; Dick Harris, song leader; Floyd Runyon, club reporter.

Mr. Mugg directed our club very successfully. We have one of the largest clubs in the county with a membership of sixty.

We were quite active in numerous projects this past year.

Dale Meyer represented our club at roundup at Purdue University last spring.

Each year two boys from each county attend a junior leadership conference held at Indiana Central College in Indianapolis. This year only one boy attended from Wells County. Lester Meyer from our club was the representative.

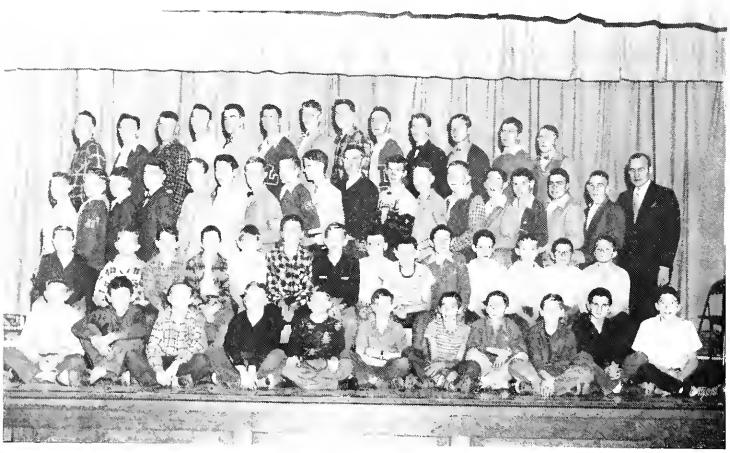
Lancaster was quite fortunate to have five members win trips to the Chicago International Livestock Exposition. Those who were awarded these trips were: Doug Krauter, Grand Champion 4-H Dairy calf; James Potter, Sweepstakes in potatoes; Carolyn Henry, Grand Champion Ayrshire Dairy calf; Doyle Stern, Grand Champion chickens; and Bob Troyer, Grand Champion chickens.

Reading from left to right: Top Row: Edwin Bryan, Robert Clark, Richard Gerber, Robert Worden, Richard Kruetzman, Arthur Moser, Doyle Stern, Don Yager, Harry Steffen, Charles Myers, John Meeks, Lester Meyer.

Second Row: Joy Stahl, Douglas Krauter, Leon Byerly, Gerald Gerber, Eddie Zirkle, Kenneth Hamilton, Dean Decker, Richard Elzey, Richard Shady, James Potter, Dick Beeler, Jack Bowen, Dale Meyer, Floyd Runyon, Walter Mankey, Willis Prichard, Luther Gerber, Mr. Mugg.

Third Row: Lloyd Herndon, Keith Zirkle, Merlin Barrick, Joe Mann, Bob Nash, Maurice Shady, Wayne Yager, Richard Barger, Don Lydy, Byron Reber, Max Hamilton, Larry Baumgartner, Ron Decker, Jerry Bowen.

Bottom Row: Richard Prichard, Don Decker, Billy Zirkle, Rodney Gerber, David Gerber, Larry Graham, David Beeler, Dean Reber, Warner Hunt, Lester Mankey, Bob Troyer. Absent: Carolyn Henry, Virginia Byrd.



Girls' 4-H Club

Seated on Floor: (*reading from left to right*) Robert Manning, Larry Graham, Maurice Shady, Tom Wiebke, Bob Troyer, Max Hamilton, Dean Reber.

First Row: Rose Mary James, Peggy Frauhiger, Colleen Decker, Lorraine Harris, Janette Kruetzman, Joyce Manning, Joan Smith, Carolyn Wolf, Carolyn Richards, Dianne Scott.

Second Row: Marilyn Gearhart, Evelyn Barrick, Betty Shipley, Vivian Runyon, Donna Shipley, Elizabeth Stahl, Marlyn Runyon, Jeanine Krauter, Mrs. Rolfe.

Third Row: Marilyn Gerber, Jacqueline Harris, Bonnie Huss, Joyce Johnloz, Bonnie Gibson, Evelyn Green, Naomi Yake, Carolyn Henry, Sarah Jane Nash, Alice Smith, Jean Rix, Carol Barger, Marilyn Wasson, and Joan Wiebke.

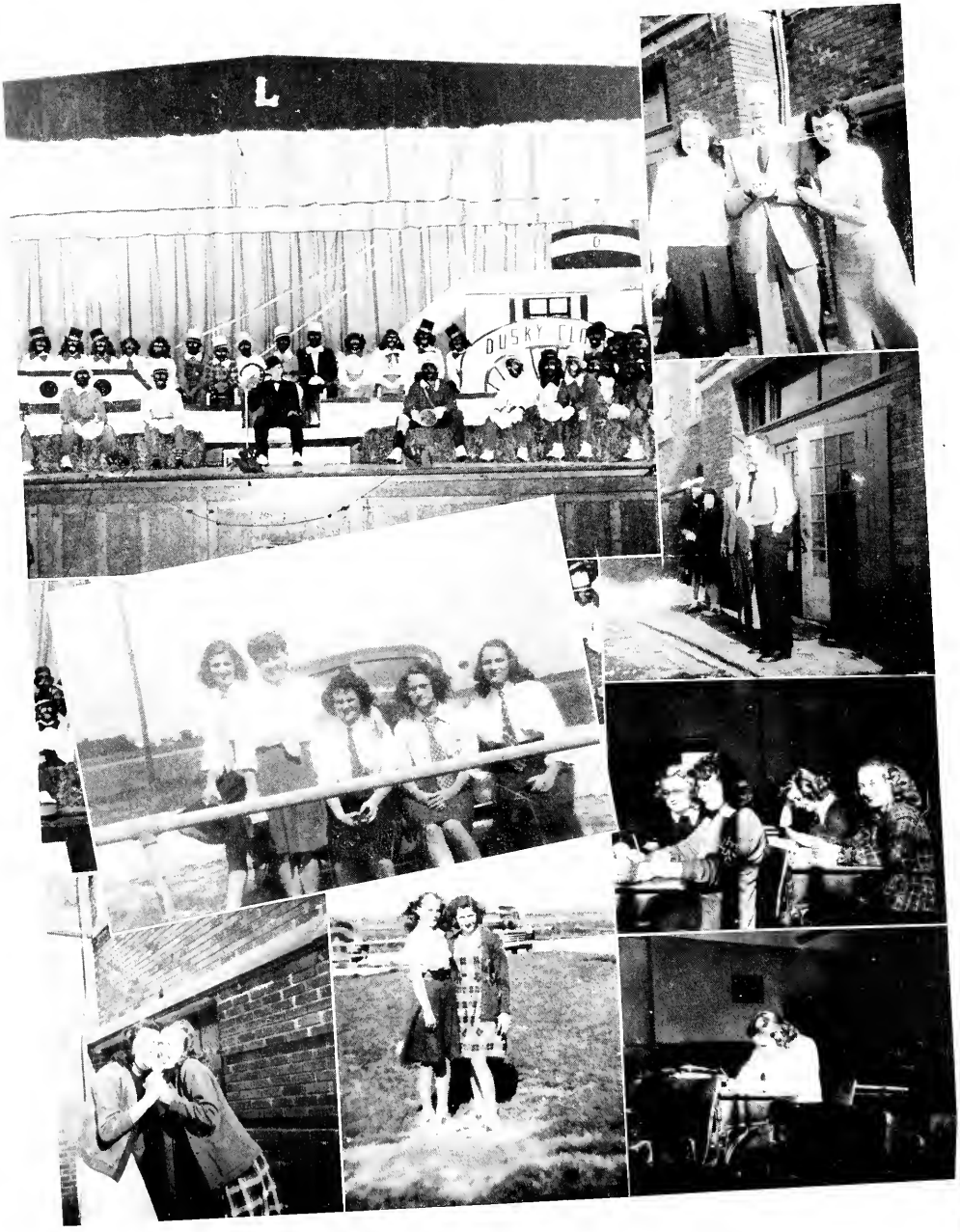
The Lancaster Girls' 4-H Club elected Carolyn Henry, president; Bonnie Gibson, vice-president; Joan Wiebke, secretary and treasurer; Virginia Byrd, reporter; Bonnie Huss, song leader; and Bob Troyer, game director.

Our club was under the direction of Miss Johnson during the first half of the summer until she accepted another position. Mrs. Troyer did a fine job in filling this vacancy.

We participated in many activities during the summer; two girls participated in the county judging and demonstration contest. We are happy to say that one of them placed first in judging baking and canning. They gave a team demonstration which also placed first.

Roundup at Purdue was attended by Bonnie Gibson, Alice Smith, Joan Wiebke, and Carolyn Henry. In August thirteen girls attended camp at Camp Tecumseh near Delphi, Indiana.

We are happy to say that The Lancaster Girls' Club won a total of $44.50 in prizes at the Bluffton Street Fair.



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Miss Anna Belle Gentis
Mr. Don Prichard
Mr. Charles Johnson
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Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henry
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ginter
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gerber
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Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lydy
Mr. and Mrs. Hie Johnloz
Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCormick
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tarr
Miss Dorotha Sellers
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HOOVER, RALPH, R. R. 2, OSSIAN, INDIANA
JOHNSON, LARIMER, FINDLAY, OHIO
MEYER, ALTON, SOUTH BEND, INDIANA
SCHWARTZ, CELIA, CHILOCOTHE, OHIO
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SMITH, DOROTHY PAXSON, 707 W. CHERRY ST., BLUFFTON, INDIANA
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JAY, ESTHER SALISBURY, FAIRMOUNT, INDIANA
KLEINKNIGHT, EDWIN, OSSIAN, INDIANA
LINDEMAN, RALPH, R. R. 1, CRAIGVILLE, INDIANA
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MEYER, OLIVER, R. R. 1, CRAIGVILLE, INDIANA
OMAN, FLOYD, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS
PRICE, JAMES, GREENSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA
RUPRIGHT, ROBERT, TOCSIN, INDIANA
RUPRIGHT, MINNIE ELZEY, TOCSIN, INDIANA
SHEDD, ARTHUR, R. R. 4, BLUFFTON, INDIANA
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LOCKWOOD, MILDRED MADDUX, YUCAIPA, CALIF.
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SPEHEGER, DR. BENJAMIN, BEDFORD, IND.
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SCHOREY, EVELYN ROBART, R. R. 1, NEW HAVEN, INDIANA
SHADY, MARSHALL, 615 S. MORGAN, BLUFFTON, INDIANA
WASSON, PAUL, 224 E. WILEY, BLUFFTON, IND.
WIEBKE, PALLAS KLEINKNIGHT, R. R. 2, OSSIAN, INDIANA
WILHELM, MIRIAM EDINGTON, R. R. 1, BLUFFTON, INDIANA

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KAWA, RUTH CURRY, ELGIN, ILLINOIS.
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MEYER, SUSANNE KIEFER, R. R. 2, BLUFFTON, INDIANA
PAXSON, LLOYD, R. R. 1, CRAIGVILLE, INDIANA
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REINHART, DEVONNA, OSSIAN, INDIANA
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Blume, Jessie, chicago, illinois
Cutler, Elmer, fort wayne, indiana
Dawson, Vivian Herrick, 2310 eby ave., ft. wayne, indiana
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Kaufman, Mary, R. R. 1, craigville, indiana
Kipfer, Erna L. Frauhiger, R. R. 4, bluffton, indiana
Lusk, Robert, bluffton, indiana
Mahler, Nellie Worthman, ft. wayne. ind.
Meyer, Corrine
Pennington, Dwight, bluffton, indiana
Prough, Eunice Shady, ft. wayne, indiana
Reed, Harold, 31½ eel river ave., logansport, indiana
Reinhart, Norma, ossian, indiana
Shady, Joseph, R. R. 1, craigville, indiana
Thompson, Maud Kaufman, R. R. 1, craigville, indiana

CLASS OF 1930

Bell, Brooks, andia, indiana
Bevington, Claude, waterloo ,indiana
Durr, Garth, craigville, indiana
Durr, Raymond, tocsin, indiana
Gallivan, Dwight, 416'w. washington st. bluffton, indiana
Gerber, Amos, 428 e. south st., bluffton, indiana
Gibson, Graydon, 312 n. morgan, bluffton, indiana
Myers, Charles, R. R. 1, craigville, ind.
Souder, Margaret Eversole, 808 s. jersey, bluffton, indiana
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Sprunger, Harriet Lugenbill, ft. wayne, ind.
Wedler, Harold, R. R. 2, ossian, indiana

CLASS OF 1931

Call, Edward, 815 s. johnson, bluffton, ind.
Cinninger, Irene Haifley, 513 s. main street, bluffton, indiana
Clark, Frances Speheger, bluffton, ind.
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Diehl, Millard, R. R. 1, bluffton, indiana
Dowty, Hubert, ossian, indiana
Eichhorn, Robert, R. R. 1, bluffton, ind.
Elzey, Olene Daugherty, R. R. 4, bluffton, indiana
Eversole, Woodrow, huntington, indiana
Frantz, Berniece Hunt, liberty center, ind.
Gibson, Avis Woodward, 312 n. morgan, bluffton, indiana
Heckley, Morris, ft. wayne, indiana
Higgins, Garnet Curry, 628 w. south, bluffton, indiana
Kaehr, Mahilda Gerber, decatur, indiana
Kaufman, Marguerite, R. R. 1, craigville, ind.
Kiefer, Herman, berne, indiana
Koons, Regine Dowty (claude), decatur, indiana
Myers, John, R.R. 1, craigville, indiana
Pease, Paul, california
Price, Harvey, texas
Speheger, Lloyd, R. R. 4, bluffton, indiana
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Andrew, Dean, indianapolis, indiana
Call, Mary Belle Wilson, 815 s. johnson, bluffton, indiana
Curry, Harold, michigan
Elzey, Earl, R. R. 4, bluffton, indiana
French, Betty, fort wayne indiana
Ginter, Irvin, yoder, indiana
Johnloz, Jay Jackson, R. R. 4, bluffton, ind.
Johnloz, William, R. R. 4, bluffton, ind.
Kelsey, Lowell, fort wayne, indiana
Maupin, Edna
Messick, Harold, bluffton, indiana
Myers, Russell, decatur, indiana
Plumer, Frances Davis, elgin, illinois
Reed, Josephine Studebaker, 31½ eel river ave., logansport, indiana
Shady, Wendell, waynedale, indiana
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Aker, Josephine Roussey, R. R. 1, bluffton, indiana
Bracht, Inex Myers, R. R. 2, bluffton, ind.
Cockran, Laura Meyer
Collier, Kenneth, muncie, indiana
Collier, Mildred Hartman, muncie, indiana
Edington, Robert, geneva, indiana
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Frauhiger, Sylvia Gerber, craigville, ind.
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Grove, Herschel, R. R. 4, bluffton, indiana
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Kleinknight, Gretchen, decatur, indiana
Lest, Richard
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Porter, Helen Bay, craigville, indiana
Prough, Lois Meade, ft. wayne, indiana
Roop, Pauline Heckley, R. R. 1, craigville, indiana
Shady, Dwight, R. R. 4, bluffton, indiana
Shimer, Ruth Kershner, ft. wayne, indiana
Stout, Pauline Andrew, 238 n. park avenue, warren, ohio
Troxel, Ralph, ft. wayne, indiana
Warner, Verena Smith, condit, ohio
Wibel, Joseph, quincy, michigan
Zirkle, Mary, R. R. 2, ossian, indiana

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Falk, Viva Elzey, r. r. 2, bluffton, ind.
Garton, Donavon, tocsin, indiana
Hathaway, Josephine Blume
Hunt, May, tocsin, indiana
Geisman, Gwyneath Kleinknight, 525 s. jersey, bluffton, indiana
Kaufman, George r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Lydy, Walter, r. r. 3, ft. wayne, indiana
Markley, Nellie Herrick, r. r. 1, bluffton. indiana
Mast, Georgia Moore, goshen, indiana
Maupin, Ernestine
Miller, George, bluffton, indiana
Moore, Norma, elkhart, indiana
Munson, Charles, r. r. 1, craigville, ind.
Murray, Paul, ossian, indiana
Myers, Marjorie Ginter, craigville, ind.
Myers, Ray, craigville, indiana
Nickolson, Pauline, yoder, indiana
Park, George, uniondale, indiana
Paxson, Rodney, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Schwartz, John, 519 s. oak, bluffton, ind.
Sprunger, Alta Raber, nuttman ave., ft. wayne, indiana
Turner, Arnold, ft. wayne, indiana
Wedler, Lester, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana
Williams, Francis Hinshaw, petroleum, ind.

CLASS OF 1935

Brubaker, Alta Byerly, 2229 n. new jersey, indianapolis, indiana
Carder, Burdine
Cossiart, Crystal, ft. wayne, indiana
Dennis, Mabel Mankey, ft. wayne, indiana
Dougherty, Lois Paxson, 1947 winfield ave., indianapolis, indiana
Gahman, Arthur, r. r. 1, craigville, ind.
Garr, Laura Blem, r. r. 4, bluffton, indiana
Haifley, William, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Harris, Paul, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana
Hinshaw, Edgar, gary, indiana
Hunt, Beulah J. Snider, r. r. 4, bluffton. indiana
Kaufman, Josephine Pease, r. r. 4, bluffton, indiana
Miller, Byrlin, r. r. 1, bluffton, ind.
Mills, Wayne, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana
Mock, Willard, rural route
Myers, Earl, r. r. 1, craigville, indiana
Niblick, Ruth Paxson, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Osborn, Dale, wren, ohio
Roos, Donald
Schneider, Berniece Wilcoxson, 815 e. wayne st. ft. wayne, indiana
Shady, Katherine Wasson, r. r. 4, bluffton, indiana
Stuart, Audrey Van Emon, 117½ s. main st., bluffton, indiana
Troxel, Marjorie, ft. wayne, indiana
Walsh, John, ft. wayne, indiana
Wheeler, Clara Wasson, berne, indiana
Wright, Gerald, uniondale, indiana

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Baumgartner, Maurice, r. r. 2, ossian, ind.
Bell, Harry, Jr., r. r. 1, craigville, ind.
Booker, Maxine Smith, r. r. 2, ossian, ind.
Clowser, Paul, r. r. 1, craigville, ind.
Collier, Doyle, decatur, indiana
Decker, Bruce, bluffton, indiana
Dowty, Wendell
Gahman, Alice, ft. wayne, indiana
Hamilton, Edwin, tocsin, indiana
Hedges, Louise Wisner, r. r. 4, bluffton, indiana
Hetrick, Donald, craigville, indiana
Hetrick, Madge Wasson, craigville, ind.
Johnson, Helen Diehl, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Johnloz, Elizabeth Walsh, ft. wayne, ind.
Lydy, Max, ft. wayne, indiana
Martin, Wilma Miller, ft. wayne, indiana
Munson, June Williams, 326 w. silver, bluffton, indiana
Murray, Dwight, ossian, indiana
Paxson, Roger, r. r. 1, craigville, ind.
Reber, Wayne, bluffton, indiana
Schwartz, Martha, ft. wayne, indiana
Shady, Nina, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana
Souder, Franklin, decatur, indiana
Yokum, Donna Anderson, rockford, ohio

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Augsburger, Erma, ft. wayne, indiana
Ayers, Margaret Henry, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
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Dale, Doris Hinshaw, haggerstown, ind.
Daugherty, Harold, craigville, indiana
Dental, Maxine Elzey, 318 e. washington, bluffton, indiana
Durr, Marvin, craigville, indiana
Elzey, Eileen Blem, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Gallivan, Victor, r. r. 1, craigville, ind.
Groh, Clara Belle Duncan, r. r. 4, bluffton, indiana
Hamilton, Mary Jane, r. r. 1, craigville ,ind.
Kleinknight, Marvin, r. r. 2, ossian, ind.
Melching, Max
Messick, Morris, ft. wayne, ind.
Mills, Robert, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana
Murray, Doris Heckley, ossian, indiana
Myers, Richard, r. r. 4, bluffton, inidana
Niblick, Dwight, r. r. 4, bluffton, ind.
Paxson, Doris Byerly, r. r. 1, craigville, indiana
Price, Daniel, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana
Raber, Brooks, r. r. 4, bluffton, indiana
Roussey, Raymond, payne, ohio
Smuts, Martha Milholland, r. r. 1, bluffton, indiana
Sonnenvury, Mable Shady, ft. wayne, ind.
Stogdill, Robert
Strahm, Arvilla Scott, bluffton, ind.
Woodward, Geraldine Johnloz, r. r. 2, ossian, indiana

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Bowers, Virginia Barger, decatur, ind.
Diehl, Wendell, markle, indiana
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Foster, Leonard, decatur, indiana
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Yake, Martha Zirkle, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.

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Bright, Gerald
Brown, Lillian Johnloz, Monroe, Indiana
Byerly, Dale, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Indiana
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Decker, Wendell, Bluffton, Indiana
Fiechter, Marie, Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Gahman, Vera, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.
Glass, Helen Magner, Ossian, Indiana
Herrick, Ned
Kehrn, Pauline Marshall, R. R. 1, Craigville, Indiana
Kizer, James, R. R. 1, Craigville, Indiana
Linn, Wendell, Lafayette, Indiana
Lugenbill, Betty, Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Macon, Donald, Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Miller, William, Bluffton, Indiana
Pursley, Halbert, R. R. 2, Ossian, Indiana
Schwartz, Catherine Howard, R. R. 1, Craigville, Indiana
Schwartz, Lloyd, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.
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Smeltzer, Edwin, Liberty Center, Indiana
Smith, Geraldine Fuller, Bluffton, Ind.
Smith, Richard, Bluffton, Indiana
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Stuff, June Haifley, 928 West Market St., Bluffton, Indiana
Walsh, Ruth, R. R. 2, Ossian, Indiana
Weaver, Floyd, R. R., Huntington, Ind.

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Double, Richard, Markle, Indiana
Froebe, Betty Lash, Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Grothous, Marjorie Green (Edward), Lafayette St., Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Hunt, Wayne, Craigville, Indiana
Irvin, Tom Jr., Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Irvin, Gloria Hughes, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Kehrn, Dwight, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.
Melching, Lucille
Milholland, Betty, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Moser, Glen, Bluffton, Indiana
Noble, Roger
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Schlagenhauf, Ralph, 928 W. Washington, Bluffton, Indiana
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Wilcoxsin, Mary Jane

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Anderson, Madelyn Clark, Bluffton, Ind.
Bailey, Wilma Potter (Dan), R. R. 1, Yoder, Indiana
Barger, Betty, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.
Brindle, Edwin
Butler, Valda Macon (John) Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Claussen, Jack, California
Coffield, Pauline, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Curme, Nevin
Diehl, Max, 129 E. Arnold, Bluffton, Ind.
Duncan, Mary Ann, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Durr, Robert, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.
Faus, Louise Smith, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
Fiechter, Alice, R. R. 1, Craigville, Ind.
Hamilton, Donna Bell, Decatur, Ind.
Johnson, Nina Gibson (Paul) R. R. 5, Huntington, Indiana
Kizer, Chloe Anderson, R. R. 1, Craigville, Indiana
Lude, Maxine Wolf, R. R. 3, Huguenard Rd., Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Macwell, Melba Hill, Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Maupin, Glema
McClain, George, Dunkirk, Indiana
Morris, Evelyn Myers, Craigville, Ind.
Price, William, R. R. 2, Ossian, Ind.
Schwartz, Doris Elzey, 417 E. South, Bluffton, Indiana
Schwartz, John, Ft. Wayne, Indiana

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Baker, Helen Souder, Bluffton, Indiana
Bynum, Vernon, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Indiana
Call, Enos, Decatur, Indiana
Decker, Roma
Frye, William, Decatur, Indiana
Garton, Betty, Bluffton, Indiana
Gerber, Alice
Greene, Roger, Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Grubb, Robert
Kaehr, Vernon, 734 S. Oak St., Bluffton, Ind.
Kipfer, Myrl Wasson (Walter) Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Kunkel, Betty Eichhorn, Indianapolis, Ind.
Markley, Mary Jane Gillom, R. R. 1, Bluffton, Indiana
McAlpin, Mary Clark, R. R. 2, Elkhart, Ind.
McCormick, Herbert, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Ind.
McCormick, Herman, 118 W. Central, Bluffton, Indiana
Mettler, Virginia Hughes, 929½ S. Main, Bluffton, Ind.
Mitchell, John, Huntington, Indiana
Moser, Harold, Craigville, Indiana
Mounsey, Rachel Johnson, Libetry Center, Indiana
Myers, Betty, R. R. 4, Bluffton, Indiana
Newhart, Evelyn Clowser, R. R. 1, Craigville, Indiana
Noble, Helen, Wabash, Indiana
Pursley, Jean, Iowa
Roberts, Mary, Ft. Wayne, Indiana
Schurr, Robert
Shady, Anna L. Barger, R. R. 1, Craigville, Indiana
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Prophecy

for ourselves. Just as we thought, there stood Dale Bowman playing the organ, and Ralph Fiechter, posing as a monkey. Those fellows always were thinking up ways of drawing attention. Later we learned that Dale annd Ralph really owned a music shop and did this as an advertisement.

As we were sitting on a cloud we were listening to beautiful music which was coming from the earth. We went down to learn who was playing. It was Barbara Bright playing on one of her concert tours. She was nationally known as Barbara and Her Magic Violin as she had become a great violinist. After the concert she received a message and she left immediately.

It seems very strange here in our spiritual world, as though someone was trying to enter. Perhaps the message Barbara had received has something to do with it. We followed Barbara to the hospital. She got out of the taxi and said, "Goodbye, Lucille." A woman taxi driver, we wondered? There was Lucille Zimmerman sitting behind the wheel. Well, of all things.

The superintendent of nurses came and talked to Barbara. We recognized the superintendent as Priscilla Tarr. As they talked they looked very sad. We wondered if we knew the person who had died. As we are now spirits, we dare not question our Father's wishes, and we are not allowed to visit a sick room of a friend. He always knows best.

We heard Barbara and Priscilla talking. Priscilla was saying that during a dangerous experiment, Lucille Gerber, who had become a famous scientist was stricken with a fatal disease. Lucille's experiment, which was not finished, might have been the only cure for the disease.

The church was crowded and we noticed Betty Faus and Walter Hartman. Betty was telling Walter that she was the physical education teacher at Lancaster. Walter had finished composing his latest symphony. He was internationally known as one of the greatest pianists. Every member of our class is attending the funeral.

Someone has entered our spiritual world. Welcome, Lucille Gerber. Together, the three of us will watch over our classmates. Isn't it strange how they grow older and we stay younger?

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Sports Of The Year

During class we practiced playing girls' basketball, and Mrs. Shady would ask questions on the fundamentals of basketball. Each class organized a team; then they played each other during the noon hour. Tourneys were played at noon between the different teams. A record was kept to see who could stay on the "Ten List." The "Ten List" was composed of the ten people who could make the most foul shots. This list was compiled from the names of the girls of the physical education classes during a certain period of time.

Mat work was our last sport of interest. Along with this we played kickball and tennis once in a while.

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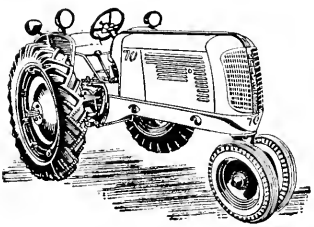

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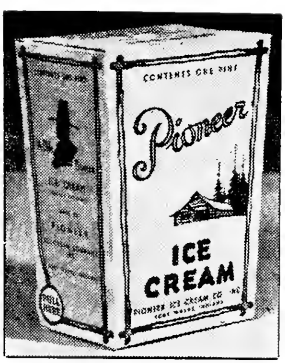

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Dale: "Personally, I don't think you can do it."

Joan: "My dad takes things apart to see what makes them run."

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Joan: "So you'd better leave."

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Barbara Bright was busily engaged with a spade in the mud beside her car when Mr. Johnson hailed her.

"Stuck in the mud?" he asked.

"Oh no!" replied Barbara cheerfully. "My engine died here and I'm digging a grave for it."

A grumpy old fellow came into a restaurant and began looking at the menu the pretty waitress handed him. Looking up at last, he demanded gruffly, "How's the duck today?"

"Oh, I'm just fine," she assured him. "And how's the old pelican himself?"

Mr. Johnson: "Bob W., what is a cannibal?"

Bob: "I don't know."

Mr. Johnson: "Well, if you ate your father and mother, what would you be?"

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